Where Your State Taxes Go From Your State Representative





Have you ever stopped to wonder where your state taxes go? Take your typical ten dollar bill. With that one piece of paper, you can pur-

chase three extra value meals at McDonald's, two paperback books or a pizza. What does the state do with every \$10 you pay in Indiana state taxes?

Education	\$5.23
Health & Human Services	\$2.00
Public Safety	\$0.63
Property Tax Relief Fund	\$1.78
General Government	\$0.25
Conservation & Environment	\$0.07
Economic Development	\$0.04

TOTAL \$10.00

As you can tell, the state stretches your \$10 as much as possible in order to meet the state's financial needs.

Please feel free to contact me with your comments and questions. Send your thoughts and ideas to me at:

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There are several types of taxes from which the state gets the funds it needs. The following is a breakdown detailing where every \$10 in state

taxes comes from:

Sales Tax	\$3.17
Individual Income Tax	\$2.74
Business Income Taxes	\$0.68
Motor Fuel Taxes	\$0.73
Gaming Taxes	\$0.46
Cigarette & Alcohol Taxes	\$0.27
Inheritance Taxes	\$0.18
Other Taxes	\$0.36
Permits, Fees & Misc. Revenue	\$1.41

TOTAL \$10.00

Sound economic management is the key to creating a healthy economy that rewards, rather than penalizes, taxpayers.

